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For : IMAGE DATA COMMUNICATION APPARATUS AND METHOD

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment  
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated November 28, 2005, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on February 28, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 17 of this paper.